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Thanks very much for calling concerning the missing response from applicant. We mailed a response on Oct. 18, 2002. Attached is a copy of that response along with our postcard indicating that the US PTO received the document. If I can be of any further help, please do not hesitate to call. Thanks again for alerting us to the problem.

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